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TITLE: **Fused refractory** material for furnaces - is based on corundum and contains zirconium and boron oxide(s) to reduce porosity

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Basic Abstract Text - ABTX (1):

**Fused** corundum-based **refractory** material for use in glassmaking and metallurgical furnaces, has increased apparent density and low porosity. Its compsn. (in wt.%) is: **SiO<sub>2</sub>** 0.3-5.0, **TiO<sub>2</sub>** 0.1-0.5, **CaO** 0.2-0.7, **MgO** 0.1-0.3, **Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>** 0.1-0.5, **Na<sub>2</sub>O** 0.3-2.0, **K<sub>2</sub>O** 0.1-0.3, **ZrO<sub>2</sub>** 0.5-12.0, **B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>** 0.3-2.0, remainder **Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>**. The ZrO<sub>2</sub> forms centres of crystallisation, helping to produce a dense fine-crystalline structure; the B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> forms an alumoborosilicate phase which fills the pores between the corundum crystals. The optimum addns. are 5-7% ZrO<sub>2</sub> and 0.3 B<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>.

Title - TIX (1):

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Standard Title Terms - TTX (1):

**FUSE REFRACTORY MATERIAL FURNACE BASED CORUNDUM CONTAIN ZIRCONIUM BORON OXIDE REDUCE POROUS**